

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

On page 9, line 12-page 10, line 2, please replace the original paragraph with the following amended paragraph:

Before discussing this protocol, however, it is useful to discuss an example of the iDANA 10 in an exemplary wireless communications network. Such an exemplary network is illustrated in Fig. 2 and generally referred to by the reference numeral 30. As can be seen, each access network unit 12 may be connected to various transceiver units 14A, 14B, 14C, 14D, and 14E via a an undedicated public network 16, such as the internet. It should be understood that the transceiver units 14A-E may take any suitable form. For example, the transceiver units may include antennas mounted on a tower, such as shown by the transceiver units 14A, 14B, 14D, and 14E, or the transceiver units may include an antenna mounted on a building, such as the transceiver unit 14C. Furthermore, the transceiver units 14A-E may communicate voice and/or data with any suitable communications device, such as portable cellular telephones, vehicles having mobile cellular telephones and/or navigation systems, computer systems having wireless modems, and/or satellite systems. Furthermore, the transceiver units 14A-E may be different sizes to provide different coverage footprints, such as macro, micro, pico, and nano.